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E.O. 11652: N/A

1. OVER THE LAST SEVERAL WEEKS THE EMBASSY HAS HAD TRIAL SUBSCRIPTIONS TO THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE NEWS SERVICES OF ASSOCIATED PRESS AND UNITED PRESS INTERNATIONAL. THIS HAS GIVEN US PROMPT KNOWLEDGE OF THE REPORTING OF US CORRESPONDENTS ON CAMBODIA AS WELL AS WASHINGTON DEVELOPMENTS RELATED TO CAMBODIA, AND HAS ENABLED US TO BRING DISTORTIONS AND INACCURACIES IN REPORTING TO THE IMMEDIATE ATTENTION OF THE WIRE SERVICE CHIEFS RESPONSIBLE.

2. PAPER AND MANPOWER EXPENSES FOR THIS SERVICE ARE BEING BORNE BY THE EMBASSY. USIS IS LOANING ITS TELETYPE FACILITIES AFTER THE DAILY WIRELESS FILE HAS BEEN RECEIVED. THE EMBASSY HAS AGREED TO PAY THE 200 DOLLAR MONTHLY FEE FOR AP BUT HAS INSUFFICIENT FUNDS TO PAY FOR THE UPI SERVICE.

3. ACTION REQUESTED: THAT USIA WASHINGTON AUTHORIZE AN INCREASE IN USIS PHNOM PENH FUNDING TO COVER THE \$200 MONTHLY WIRE SERVICE FEE FOR UPI. EFFECTIVE DATE SHOULD BE MARCH 1, 1974.

4. COUNTRY TEAM STRONGLY RECOMMENDS APPROVAL.
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